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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 7310 NOTE PREPARED: Dec 30, 2006

BILL NUMBER: HB 1413 BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Township Cumulative Funds.

FIRST AUTHOR: Rep. Dembowski BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FIRST SPONSOR:

FUNDS AFFECTED: GENERAL IMPACT: Local

DEDICATED FEDERAL

<u>Summary of Legislation</u>: This bill provides that money in a cumulative firefighting building and equipment fund may be used to pay for utility services and property or casualty insurance during the period beginning January 1, 2008, and ending December 31, 2010.

Effective Date: July 1, 2007.

Explanation of State Expenditures:

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures: This bill adds an additional alternative for which funds may be spent from local cumulative firefighting building and equipment funds. For CY 2006, the total certified statewide levy for these funds was about \$22 M. It is unknown how much of the levy would be used to pay for utility services and property or casualty insurance during the period beginning January 1, 2008, and ending December 31, 2010.

Background: Under existing law, the legislative body of a unit or the board of fire trustees of a fire protection district may use a cumulative building and equipment fund for the following purposes:

- (1) The purchase, construction, renovation, or addition to buildings; or the purchase of land; used by the fire department or a volunteer fire department serving the unit.
- (2) The purchase of firefighting equipment.
- (3) In a municipality, the purchase of police radio equipment.
- (4) The purchase, construction, renovation, or addition to a building; purchase of land; or

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purchase of equipment; for use of a provider of emergency medical services.

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected:

Local Agencies Affected: Fire protection districts and units.

Information Sources: DLGF Database (LOGODABA).

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